AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1-26. (Cancelled)

27. (Currently Amended) A paper or paperboard,

having a basis weight that is greater than or equal to about 80 pounds per 3000 square feet and comprising:

a base layer comprising cellulosic fibers;

an ink receptive layer comprising at least one member selected from the group consisting of an acrylic polymer and a biocide; and

a holdout layer that is disposed between the base layer and the ink receptive layer, wherein the holdout layer comprises starch.

28. (Previously Presented) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the paper or paperboard has a basis weight ranging from about 80 to about 300 pounds per 3000 square feet.

29. (Previously Presented) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein at least a portion of the ink receptive layer and at least a portion of the base layer are not in contact with each other.

30. (Previously Presented) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the ink receptive layer and the base layer are not in contact with each other.

31. (Previously Presented) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the ink receptive layer comprises at least one acrylic polymer.

32. (Withdrawn) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the ink receptive layer comprises at least one acrylic polymer and at least one biocide.

33. (Previously Presented) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the paper or paperboard has a water absorption in the range of from about 30 to about 40 grams of water per square meter of paper or paperboard as measured by a Cobb Sizing Test according to ASTM D-3285 (TAPPI T-441).

34. (Previously Presented) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the ink receptive layer comprises at least one acrylic polymer and the paper or paperboard has a water absorption in the range of from about 30 to about 40 grams of water per square meter of paper or paperboard as measured by a Cobb Sizing Test according to ASTM D-3285 (TAPPI T-441).

35. (Withdrawn) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the ink receptive layer comprises at least one biocide and the paper or paperboard has a water absorption in the range of from about 30 to about 40 grams of water per square meter of paper or paperboard as measured by a Cobb Sizing Test according to ASTM D-3285 (TAPPI T-441).

36. (Withdrawn) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the ink receptive layer comprises at least one biocide.

37. (Previously Presented) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, further comprising a print layer.

38. (Previously Presented) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, further comprising a print layer disposed between the holdout layer and the ink receptive layer.

39. (Currently Amended) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the paper or paperboard ~~material~~ is at least one member selected from the group consisting of a file folder, a paperboard file container, a manila folder, a flap folder, and Bristol base paper.

40-52 (Cancelled)

53. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the ink receptive layer does not significantly penetrate or absorb into the base layer.

54. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the paper or paperboard has improved durability or improved resistance to damage.

55. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the ink receptive layer has a coat weight that ranges from about 1.5 to about 3.0 pounds per 3000 square feet.

56. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the paper or paperboard has improved resistance to staining.

57. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the holdout layer contacts at least a portion of at least one surface of the base layer.

58. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the holdout layer contacts at least a portion of at least two surfaces of the base layer

59. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the ink receptive layer further comprises at least one member selected from the group consisting of crosslinked acrylic, silica, clay, and polyvinyl alcohol.

60. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein biocide is at least one haloalkynyl carbamate.

61. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the biocide is at least one haloalkynyl alkyl carbamate.

62. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the biocide is 3-iodo-2-propynyl butyl carbamate.

63. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the paper or paperboard has improved long term storageability.

64. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the acrylic polymer is a film forming acrylic polymer.

65. (New) The paper or paperboard according to Claim 27, wherein the ink receptive layer has a coat weight that is as little as 1.5 pounds per 3000 square feet.